

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. Of: BOYD)
Serial Number: 10/652,144)
Filed: August 29, 2003)
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD TO SELECT A CAPTAIN ...)
Group: 2145)
Confirmation No.: 1176)
Examiner: Swearingen, Jeffrey R. DOCKET NO.: TUC920030079US1)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION FOR A THREE (3) MONTH EXTENSION OF TERM

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicants hereby petition for a three (3) month extension of term for responding to the Official Action mailed April 3, 2008 hereby extending the term for response from July 3, 2008 to October 3, 2008.

In the event there are any fee deficiencies or additional fees are payable, please charge them (or credit any overpayment) to our Deposit Account No. 170055.

Respectfully submitted,

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